

JUDGE SCHEINDLIN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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NAFTASERVICE TRADING (CYPRUS) LTD.,

Plaintiff,

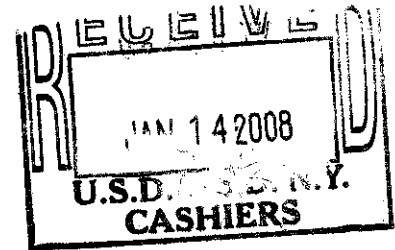
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**STATEMENT PURSUANT
TO F.R.C.P 7.1**

ALARIC CO. LTD.
and
ALARIC CONSULTING & INVESTMENT
CORPORATION LIMITED,

Defendants.
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Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and to enable Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel of record for Plaintiff, NAFTASERVICE TRADING (CYPRUS) LTD., certifies that there are no corporate parents, subsidiaries, or affiliates of that party, which are publicly held.

Dated: Port Washington, New York
January 14, 2008

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